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Minutes of May 21, 2009

A meeting of the Senate Committee on Education was held on Thursday, May 21, 2009, in room 210, Farnum Building, 125 W. Allegan Street, Lansing, MI 48933.

 Senator Kuipers called the meeting to order at 2:32 P.M. The roll of the Committee was called by the Committee Clerk.

Senator Kuipers – Present Senator Van Woerkom – Present Senator Cassis – Excused Senator Whitmer – Present Senator Gleason – 2:35pm

<u>Agenda</u>

Approve minutes from April 23, 2009.
 Motion by Senator Van Woerkom to approve the minutes from April 23, 2009, was supported by Senator Whitmer.

A record roll call was ordered as follows:

Senator Kuipers – Yes Senator Van Woerkom – Yes Senator Cassis – Excused Senator Whitmer – Yes Senator Gleason – 2:35pm

- Senator Kuipers opens up testimony on Senate Bill 592.
 - 1. Jonathan D. Savage from Lewis and Munday Corporation, Jeffrey J. Soles from Thrun Law Firm, and Dr. Wayne Bischoff from Community Business Connection, spoke collectively in favor of the bill.

 Motion by Senator Whitmer to adopt Senate Bill 592 supported by Senator Van Woerkom.

A record roll call was ordered as follows:

Senator Kuipers – Yes Senator Van Woerkom – Yes Senator Cassis – Excused Senator Whitmer – Yes Senator Gleason – Excused

 Motion by Senator Whitmer to report Senate Bill 592 with favorable recommendation for passage and immediate effect, supported by Senator Van Woerkom.

A record roll call was ordered as follows:

Senator Kuipers – Yes Senator Van Woerkom – Yes Senator Cassis – Excused Senator Whitmer – Yes Senator Gleason – Excused

• Senator Kuipers adjourned the meeting at 3:08 P.M.

Respectfully Submitted,

Paula Englin, Clerk

Date Approved

Wavne Kuipers, Chair